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**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Rito, et al.

For : SELECTIVE BETA-3 ADRENERGIC AGONISTS

Docket No. : X10909C

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

Please amend the accompanying application as follows:

**Inventorship Amendment**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b), please amend the inventorship of the present application by deleting the following persons as named inventors:

Thomas Alan Crowell;  
Deborah Ann Evrard;  
Charles David Jones;  
Brian Stephen Muehl;  
Andrew John Thorpe; and  
Kenneth Jeff Thrasher

The above persons are deleted as inventors because their invention is no longer being claimed in this non-provisional application. The corrected inventorship should reflect Christopher John Rito and Anthony John Shuker as joint inventors of the present claims.